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MEMORANDUM FOR THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER, CIG

SUBJECT: Proposed CIG Administrative Order--  
 Policy on Clearance of Personnel  
 for Duties with Central Intelligence  
 Group

1. The proposed undated draft, subject as above, has been reviewed and is approved with the following recommended changes:

*OK*

(a) In paragraph 2.a, the words "native-born" should be deleted. This recommendation is based on a belief that it is inadvisable from a policy point of view to publish in any administrative order information indicating that we employ only native-born citizens. The fact that only native-born citizens will be employed should be handled informally within the organization but not made of record.

*yes/no.*

(b) In paragraph 3, line 4, a period should be inserted after the word "individuals" and the words "by the Security Division, Personnel and Administrative Branch, Executive Office" stricken. This recommendation is based on the belief that the Director may wish, in certain instances, to delegate the application of security policies to an organizational unit other than the Security Division, Personnel and Administrative Branch.

*OK*

(c) In paragraph 3.b, the first sentence should be re-written to read as follows: "Reports of investigations will be reviewed in each case by the Security Officer of the Central Intelligence Group who will verify that the above procedure has been carried out." This recommendation is based on a belief that the sentence as set forth in the original draft may be construed to mean that the FBI is actually granting a final clearance for the Group rather than reviewing their records and stating whether he is acceptable as a security risk. The clearing in each instance will be done by CIG rather than any outside agency.

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